

THE BRANT COUNTY TEACHERS' INSTITUTE

WILL BE HELD IN THE COLLEGIATE INSTITUTE, BRANTFORD,

—ON—

Friday and Saturday, May 30th and 31st, 1879.

PROGRAMME OF EXERCISES

FIRST DAY.

9.00 to 10.00 a. m.—Preliminary Business.
10.00 to 10.30 a. m.—Lesson on Book-Keeping, J. W. Westervelt. Critics, Messrs. Cochrane, Godfrey and Sims.
10.30 to 11.00 a. m.—Proper use of Dictionary in Public Schools, W. E. Bradley, Master No. 13, Brantford. Critics, Messrs. Thomas, Settell and Chasgrain.
11.00 to 11.30 a. m.—On Uniform Promotion Examinations in P. S., M. J. Kelly. Critics, Messrs. Baptie, Dadson, and John McLean.
11.30 to 12.00 a. m.—On Discipline in P. Schools, W. Wilkinson, M. A., Principal C. School. Critics, Messrs. Mills, Bradley, & Rothwell.
1.30 to 2.00 p. m.—Mathematical Geography and how to teach it, A. T. Watson, Master No. 20, Brantford. Critics, Messrs. D. Reid and J. Fulton.
2.00 to 2.30 p. m.—English Grammar Lesson, James Mills, M. A., Rector Collegiate Institute. Critics, Messrs. Wilkinson, Thomas and Watson.
2.30 to 3.30 p. m.—Aimless Education, Aimless Lives, T. M. Macintyre, M. A., LL. B., Principal Brantford Y. L. College. Critics, Messrs. McIntosh, Dale and Kelly.
3.30 to 4.00 p. m.—Singing with Class, J. J. Sims, Master No. 2 Oakland.

SECOND DAY

9.30 to 10.00 a. m.—Geometry, how to teach it, W. Rothwell, Mathematical Master, Collegiate Institute. Critics, Messrs. Anderson, Kelly and McIntosh.
10.00 to 10.30 a. m.—On Music in Public Schools, W. F. Seymour, Principal Burford School. Critics, Miss Clarke and Mr. White.
10.30 to 11.30 a. m.—On the Ventilation of School Houses, Geo. Dixon, M. A., Rector Hamilton Collegiate Institute. Critics, Messrs. Mills, Westervelt and Wilkinson.
11.30 to 12.30 p. m.—English Literature, Geo. A. Chase, M. A., Modern Language Master, Galt Collegiate Institute. Critics, Miss Clarke and Messrs. Acres and Petch.
2.00 to 3.00 p. m.—On Reading in Schools. Prof. A. Melville Bell of Tutelo Heights.
3.00 to 3.30 p. m.—Reading Lesson with Class, H. A. Thomas, Principal Mount Pleasant School.

- I. An effort will be made to render all the exercises as practical as possible, and to conduct them with especial reference to the School Room.
- II. The Committee deemed it advisable to appoint critics in advance, in order that those so appointed might be able to prepare themselves for the discussion of the different subjects.
- III. On the evening of Friday, 30th instant, a public meeting will be held in the hall of the B. C. I., when W. H. C. Kerr, M. A., will deliver his lecture on "Mental Culture." Music and Readings will add to the attractiveness of the evening's entertainment.
- IV. George Dixon, Esq., M. A., Rector of the Hamilton Collegiate Institute, George A. Chase, Esq., M. A., of Galt Collegiate Institute, and T. M. Macintyre, Esq., LL. B., Principal of the Brantford Young Ladies College have kindly consented to read papers before the Institute.
- V. Professor A. Melville Bell has promised an address on "Reading in Public Schools." His varied knowledge and long experience as a Professor of Elocution in Europe and America cannot fail to be of immense advantage to teachers.
- VI. It is confidently expected that there will be a very full attendance of teachers and friends of education.

M. J. KELLY, LL. B.
PRESIDENT.

W. ROTHWELL,
SECRETARY.